

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 230 – HB 325

February 10, 2015

SUMMARY OF BILL: Extends the termination date of the Department of Correction (DOC) to June 30, 2018. Under the *Tennessee Governmental Entity Review Law*, the DOC is scheduled to terminate on June 30 15. Requires the DOC to update the Government Operations Joint Evaluation Committee on Judiciary and Government on the DOC's progress in addressing the findings set forth in the September 2014 performance audit report no later than October 1, 2015.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- This bill continues an existing entity at its current funding level.
- According to the Governor's Recommended Budget Document for FY15-16 (page B-229), the total recommended funding for DOC is \$921,056,200 (\$904,053,300 state; \$350,100 federal; and \$16,652,800 other).
- Requiring DOC to update the appropriate committee regarding the performance audit report and the progress it has made to correct the findings can be accomplished within existing resources and will not significantly increase the workload of DOC.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Jeffrey L. Spalding". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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